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| Application Number | 10/632224 | Docket Number | CNTR.2141 |
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| Examiner | Jesse R. Moll | Customer No. | 23669 |
| Application Title | APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR KILLING AN INSTRUCTION AFTER LOADING THE INSTRUCTION INTO AN INSTRUCTION QUEUE IN A PIPELINED MICROPROCESSOR | | |
| First Named Inventor | Thomas C. McDonald | | |

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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